

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

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<b>ADEN HAILE-SHIREGA</b>	)	
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<b>Plaintiff,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	
	)	
<b>DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, <i>et al.</i>,</b>	)	<b>Case No.: 05-0978 (RBW)</b>
	)	
<b>Defendants.</b>	)	

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**JOINT MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER  
AND MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT THEREOF**

Pursuant to Rule 26(c) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the parties respectfully move this Court for a protective order regarding the production of confidential information and documents.

In support of this motion, the parties show the Court as follows:

1. Plaintiff is seeking and will continue to seek in discovery certain documents that the Defendants asserts contain confidential information.
2. Any confidential information or documents obtained through discovery shall be used only in this litigation.
3. All parties join in this Motion and have agreed upon the language of the proposed consent protective order.

Wherefore, the parties respectfully request that this Court enter the proposed Consent Protective Order (attached hereto) governing release of relevant confidential information and documents.

Respectfully submitted,

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